

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE:

Please replace the Abstract with the following Abstract of the Disclosure:

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G¹ An apparatus and method for a Multi-Carrier Code Division Multiple Access ("MC-CDMA") transmission network is disclosed. In the MC-CDMA transmission network a plurality of spreading sequences are assigned to individual users from a plurality of predetermined spreading sequences. The spreading sequences are assigned to users in order to minimize the interference created by the assignment of spreading sequences.
